

Remarks/Arguments

Claims 1, 14, 15, 17, 19 and 20 have been canceled. Claims 2-6, 13 and 18 have been amended. Claims 2-13, 18 and 21-25 are in the application upon entry of this amendment. Entry of this amendment, and reexamination and reconsideration of the present application are respectfully requested in light of the above-indicated amendments and the following remarks.

The Examiner has indicated that claims 21-25 have been allowed. Claims 2-13 and 18 as amended herein now depend from claim 21. Consequently, claims 2-13 and 18 as well as claims 21-25 should be considered in condition for allowance.

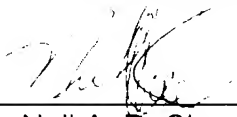
A Notice of Allowance is believed to be warranted and is respectfully requested. In the alternative, entry of the amendment is requested for purposes of an appeal.

If there are any questions concerning this amendment, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned attorney. Any fees required for the submission of this amendment may be charged to Deposit Account No. 12-2275.

Respectfully submitted,

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